APPENDIX F

EXTRACT OF QSTAG 592: FORECAST MOVEMENT REQUIREMENTS - RAIL, ROAD AND INLAND WATERWAYS

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DETAILS OF AGREEMENT

FORECAST MOVEMENT REQUIREMENTS -RAIL, ROAD AND INLAND WATERWAYS

Annex : A. Table of Forecast Movement Requirements - Rail. Road and Inland Waterways:

Related documents: STANAG 2021 - Computation of Bridge, Raft and Vehicle Classification.

QSTAG 562 (STANAG 2156) - Surface Transport Request and Reply

to Surface Transport Request.

STANAG 1059 - National Distinguishing Letters for use

by NATO Forces.

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1. The aim of this agreement is to standardize for ABCA Forces a document common to several means of transport for the purpose of submitting forecast movement requirements, including movement requirements based on approved contingency plans, to their own national authorities and/or to the nations concerned in such movements.

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2. Participating nations agree to use the standard fermat found at Annex A for the "Table of Forecast Movement Requirements - Rail, Road and Inland Waterways".

FORECAST MOVEMENT REQUIREMENTS

- 3. As soon as military authorities have knowledge of their movement (or transport) requirements, for a given period of time, they are to inform the military authority responsible for the organization of movements (or transport) in the originating nation (or in the originating zone in a nation) as soon as possible.
- 4. When forwarding the essential information the requesting authority must use the format of the "Table of Forecast Movement Requirements Rail, Road and Inland Waterways" shown at Annex A as follows:
 - a. Action : To the military authority of the originating nation (or in the originating zone in a nation) in charge of the organization of movements.
 - b. Information: To the military authorities concerned of the transiting nation and nation of destination (or the transiting zone and zone of destination in a nation).

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- 5. Study of the "Table of Forecast Movement Requirements Rail, Road and Inland Waterways" will allow the military authority in charge of the organization of movements in the originating nation (or in the originating zone in a nation):
 - a. To carry out a preliminary survey on the possibilities of granting the request.
 - b. To take the first steps with the military authorities of the transiting nation and nation of destination (or the transiting zone and zone of destination in a nation).
 - c. To select the type of transport to be used.
 - d. To inform the requesting authority:
 - (1) Of steps taken to satisfy his requests.
 - (2) Of the movements for which it will be necessary for the requesting authority to make out a "Transport Request" in accordance with the provisions of QSTAG 562.
 - e. To develop supporting transportation plans for forecast requirements resulting from approved contingency plans.
- 6. The Forecast Movement Requirements Rail, Road and Inland Waterways must be forwarded, if possible, in writing. It can also be forwarded by signal or by telephone by using the code identifying the different items and columns. A specimen of the "Forecast Movement Requirements Rail, Road and Inland Waterways" as transmitted by signal, is enclosed at Appendix 2 to Annex A.

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NOTES: For notes and explanation see Appendix 1 to this Annex.

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APPENDIX 1 TO ANNOX A TO OSTAG 592

NOTE OF TABLE OF FORECAST MEMERY HEQUIREMENTS RAIL, EDAD AND INLAND WATERWAYS

HEADINGS	MEANING	REMARKS
(1)	Classificatie .	Enter classification of report as determined by originating agency.
(2)	Period of Forcest	Enter period of forecast as announced by the appropriate national authority.
(3)	Requesting Athority	Enter unit designation of organization responsible for submitting, e.g. 97th Signal Group.
(4)	Competent Autority of the Originating Nation	Enter unit designation of organization directed to receive forecast within originating nation.
COLUMN	MRANING	RENARKS
	Serials or The Items	Use separate serial or line number for each shipment forecast
Alpha	Reference Number or Nicksame	
Bravo	Consignor	Enter specific dispatching agency
Charlie	Location and Coordinates	Enter exact location and coordinates (2 letters, 6 figures)
Delta	Consignee	Enter specific receiving agency
Echo	Location and Coordinates	Enter exact location and coordinates (2 letters, 6 figures)
Foxtrot	Nation/National Zones Commerced	Finter National Distinguishing letters (see STANAG 1059)
Golf	Type of Tramport Preferred	Enter preferred mode: Road IWT, Rail (see STANAG 2156)

COLUMN	MEANING	KEMARKS
Hotel/India	Number and Type Passenger	Enter number of passengers and general description. Personnel are normally listed as troops, patients, civilians, POWs and such other categories as will assist the movements personnel in selecting the mode of transportation.
Juliet/Kilo/ Lima	Class of Supply and Tonnage	Enter class of supply, estimated tons and cube. Note: (State type of ton used e.g. Metric Ton(MT) Long Ton (LT), Short Ton (ST). The movement programmers are not normally concerned with an inventory of specific items within a class; however, items requiring special handling must be specified in the remarks column so that the outstanding characteristics can be readily identified. For example, heavy lifts other than vehicles should be expressed in units, dimensions and tons for each lift.
Mike/ Kovember/ Oscar/Papa	Special Loads	Enter number of vehicles/tanks to be moved weight in tons (see note at Juliet above) for each, military load classification in accordance with STANAG 2021 (Road) and sketch number of the unified contours booklet (Rail).
Quebec	Rate of Despatch	Enter tons (see note at Juliet above) of cargo or number of vehicles/tanks which can be moved daily (the capacity of the shipping and receiving organization determines).
Romeo	Date Movement to commence	Enter earliest date that movement can commence.
Sierra	Date Movement Preferred/ Required for Completion	Enter date movement preferred/ required for completion followed by preferred or required as applicable

COLUMN	MEANING	Remarks
Tango	Priorities	Enter assigned priority.
Uniform	Remarks	Enter any information which will assist in planning the move, e.g. heavy lifts, dangerous material, special handling data on wheeled vehicles and passenger requirements.

APPENDIX 2 ANNEX A

TO OSTAG 592

MESSAGE (Specimen)

FROM : HQ/ADVANCED BASE UK

TO : ENG/CM TPT

SUBJECT : TABLE OF FORECAST MOVEMENT REQUIREMENTS - RAIL,

ROAD AND INLAND WATERWAYS FOR PERIOD OF 10 JAN TO

16 JAN 1966

PRECEDENCE : ROUTINE

ONE ALFA P/156

BRAVO 3 REPL BN

CHARLIE ZEEBRUGGE ES (6 figures)

DELTA 9 REPL CO

ECHO MUNSTER MC (6 figures)

FOXTROT BE/NL/GE

GOLF RAIL
HOTEL 200
INDIA TROOPS
JULIET BAGGAGE
KILO 8 NT

LIMA 400 CU FT

MIKE NIL
NOVEMBER NIL
OSCAR NIL
PAPA NIL

QUEBEC 50 MT PER DAY,

ROMEO 12 JAN

SIERRA 15 JAN REQUIRED

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TWO ALFA S/723 BRAVO DEPOT 603 CHARLIE ZEEBRUGGE ES (6 figures) DELTA ASP 503 **ECHO** MUNSTER MC (6 figures) FOXTROT BE/NL/GE GOLF RAIL HOTEL NIL INDIA NIL JULIET AMMUNITION KILO 5000 MT LIMA 1500 CU METRES MIKE NIL NOVEMBER NIL OSCAR NIL PAPA NIL QUEBEC 1000 MT/PER DAY ROMEO 12 JAN 16 JAN REQUIRED SIERRA TANGO TWO UNIFORM NIL THREE ALFA Q/415 BRAVO DEPOT 605 CHARLIE GEEL FS (6 figures) DELTA SP 505 **ECHO** RHEINDAHLEN LB (6 figures) FOXTROT BE/NL/GE GOLF RAIL HOTEL NIL INDIA NIL JULIET NIL KILO NIL LIMA NIL MIKE 10 NOVEMBER 60 MT OSCAR 40 PAPA 3145 QUEBEC 2

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UNIFORM HEAVY LIFT REQUIRED AT DESTINATION